Mr. T. A. RAMACHANDRA AYYAR.

Here it is said it was examined by the Government. I ask when it was done.

PRESIDENT.

Previously.

Mr. T. A. RAMACHANDRA AYYAR.

A promise to do so was given, and they now say they have examined it.

PRESIDENT.

The promise was made without referring to what was done previously.

Mr. T. A. RAMACHANDRA AYYAR.

Only a temporary promise or a permanent one?

PRESIDENT.

I am not in a position to say.

Mr. T. A. RAMACHANDRA AYYAR.

But during the meeting they promised.

PRESIDENT.

The whole question was thoroughly gone into. That is all that I have to say.

The Working of the Committee appointed for Compiling the Malayalam Dictionary.

Dr. A. G. MENON.

143. (a) Will the Government be pleased to state whether there is any Committee appointed for compiling the Malayalam Dictionary?

(b) Will the Government be pleased to place on the table the last report of the Committee, if any?

Mr. P. DAMODARA MENON.

(a) The member is referred to part (b) of answer to question No. 12.

(b) A copy of the last report is appended. (*Vide Appendix I.*)

The Clubbing of the Zoo at Trichur with the Agricultural Department.

Dr. A. G. MENON.

144. In view of the fact that the Veterinary Department is placed under the Superintendent of Agriculture and Pancha-

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Resolutions passed at the Budget Session.

Mr. A. B. SALEM.

169. (a) Will the Government be pleased to inform whether they have accepted the resolutions passed by the House in the last budget session; and

(b) What actions they have taken on them?

Mr. P. DAMODARA MENON.

(a) & (b). The member is referred to the Diwan's Proceedings published on pages 255 and 256 in Part I of the Cochin Government Gazette, dated 16th January 1926.

Mr. A. B. SALEM.

I have perused the Gazette of the 16th of January 1926. I found two or three resolutions of the Council accepted. One was regarding the meter, another regarding the grant of Rs. 5,000 to the Central Co-operative Institute and one more regarding the representation of the elected members of the Council on Committees appointed by Government.

PRESIDENT.

The last is only a resolution passed at the first sitting of this session.

Mr. A. B. SALEM,

But I found that was also accepted. My question was: How many resolutions have been passed, and how many have been accepted or rejected or are still pending?

PRESIDENT.

Only two resolutions were passed, and those were accepted.

APPENDIX I.

(*Vide Answer to Q. No. 143.*)

Report, dated 16th Karkadagam 1095 (13th July 1920), No. 60/95, from the Secretary to the Malayalam Improvement Committee, Ernakulam.

With reference to the Government Proceedings, Ref. on C. No. 1519 of 95, dated 19th July 1920, I have the honour to state that the amount placed at the disposal of the Committee for the compilation of the *Malayalam Dictionary* is Rs. 2,000 (vide D. P., dated 23rd February 1917, R. O. C. No. 956 of 1092 and D. P., dated 8th March 1917. Out of this, an amount of Rs. 902—12—2 alone has been spent. The balance is in the Cochin-Kanayannur Treasury. I have therefore the honour to request you to be so good as to give the necessary orders for a retransfer of the balance and the adjustment in the cou[illegible].

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